

House Resolution 1899

By: Representative Burkhalter of the 50th

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending the Honorable Craig Laurence Schwall, Sr.; and for other
2 purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Honorable Craig Laurence Schwall, Sr., has been an honest and dedicated
4 public servant who strives for excellence in all his endeavors and whose primary concern has
5 been the fair and impartial administration of justice; and

6 WHEREAS, a lifelong resident of Atlanta, Georgia, Judge Schwall earned a bachelor's
7 degree in political science from Auburn University and a law degree from Emory University;
8 and

9 WHEREAS, he has diligently and conscientiously devoted his time, talents, and energy to
10 the betterment of his community and the State of Georgia as a judge for the Fulton County
11 Magistrate Court, the Fulton County State Court, and in his current role with the Fulton
12 County Superior Court; and

13 WHEREAS, before his career on the bench, Judge Schwall was an associate at Schwall, Ruff
14 & Goodman and its successor, Schwall & Ruff; an instructor at Georgia State University,
15 teaching undergraduate courses in criminal law and procedure and constitutional law; and
16 a partner at Schwall & Schwall; and

17 WHEREAS, his colleagues know him as a clear thinker and hard worker, as a man whose
18 strong convictions are supported by meticulous research and careful consideration, and as
19 an equitable, impartial leader whose decisions are governed by the rules of honesty and fair
20 play; and

21 WHEREAS, his leadership and guidance have been instrumental on several boards and
22 organizations, including the Georgia Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation, the Fulton County
23 Republican Party, the Lawyers Foundation of Georgia, and the Lawyers Club of Atlanta; and

24 WHEREAS, the State of Georgia is honored to have such a motivated and hard-working
25 individual as one of its citizens, and it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary
26 accomplishments of this distinguished Georgian be appropriately recognized.

27 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
28 the members of this body commend the Honorable Craig Laurence Schwall, Sr., for his
29 efficient, effective, unselfish, and dedicated public service to Fulton County and the State of
30 Georgia.

31 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
32 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Honorable Craig
33 Laurence Schwall, Sr.